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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT
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SUBJECT: IRAQI-TURKISH DIFFICULTIES OVER PETROLEUM

REF: (A) DAMASCUS 2170, (B) KUWAIT 1677.

1. APRIL 5 LOCAL PRESS CARRIED REPORTS QUOTING
LATEST MIDDLE
EAST ECONOMIC SURVEY AS CONFIRMING REPORTED
IRAQ-TURKEY DISPUTE OVER CRUDE PRICING. TURKS REPORTEDLY
ARE HOLDING OUT FOR SUBSTANTIALLY LOWER PRICE THAN US DOL
13.50-13.55 PER BARREL (INCLUDING 39 CENTS PER BARREL
TRANSIT FEE) DEMANDED BY IRAQIS.

2. DURING LATE MARCH VISIT OF TURKISH FOREIGN SECRETARY
CAGLAYANGIL, PRESS REPORTED THAT LATTER HAD ASKED KUWAITIS
FOR LONGER CREDIT TERMS THAN NORMAL 60 DAYS OFFERED TO
PURCHASERS OF KUWAITI CRUDE. THERE HAS BEEN NO REPORTED
DECISION TAKEN BY GOK ON THIS, BUT WE DOUBT
THAT KUWAIT HAS GIVEN OR WILL GIVE MORE THAN 60 DAYS'
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